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Lafayette Community Church

SEXUALITY

Deuteronomy 22:13-23:8 • Message 5

BUMPER • PRAY • MOSES' FINAL WORDS, END OF HIS LIFE, BEGINNING OF THEIRS

REVIEW

- God blesses his people who honor him and judges those who don't.
- God's people are all who respond to his call with love and obedience.
- God's special people honor him above all else.
- God's special people honor him as the source of all justice.

TODAY, WE TURN TO ONE OF THE MOST CONTENTIOUS TEACHINGS OF THE BIBLE HOMEWORK IS 22-26

SOME CONTEXT

Deuteronomy 22:1-12

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God's commands preserve **INTEGRITY** and make sense.

GOD'S DESIGN FOR SEXUALITY

Deuteronomy 22:13-30

13-21 • 22 • 23-24 • 25-27 • 28-29 • 30

- Sex and marriage are **LINKED**.
- Sex that **VIOLATES** marriage is a **CAPITAL** offense.
- Sex that violates a **P E R S O N** is a capital offense.
- Sex that doesn't violate marriage is recognized as **MARRIAGE**.

God's rules on sexuality bring **DIGNITY** to **WOMEN** and **RESPONSIBILITY** to **MEN**.

HE HAS TO PAY A FINE! • I ASSERT THAT THIS PRINCIPLE IS INTRINSICALLY GOOD

TANGENT

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emotional bond • procreation • masculine strength

YOU DON'T NEED A REAL RELATIONSHIP • IF YOU LOVE HIM YOU WILL SHOW IT
YOU CAN TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR! • SOCIETY PRETENDS TO BE HOLY (HARASSMENT / AFFAIRS)

TAKE IT HOME

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